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PORTERVILLE FAIR SHAPES UP FOR MAY 22 OPENING; DIRECTORS MEET TOMORROW

PORTERVILLE, May 1 — Porterville Fair is shaping up for its 11th annual opening, May 22, with directors meeting tomorrow evening, Friday, at Gang Sue's, at 7:30 o'clock to discuss details.

Exhibits Superintendent Ernie Cassidy will report on commercial space sales and program advertising, both of which now appear to be ahead of last year.

Directors will pin down the evening entertainment program that will be presented in front of the grandstand nightly, May 22, 23, and 24, and which will feature a top professional outdoor show.

Plans will also be made to get the fair grounds, and other facilities, in shape so that exhibitors can start moving in the weekend of May 17.

The general fair program this year will include highly competitive classes in fat stock, shown by Future Farmers and 4-H club members in southeastern Tulare county.

Opening afternoon program will feature an Arabian Horse show; second day program will include a Quarter Horse show; a Pet parade for elementary children is scheduled for the opening afternoon annual fat stock sale will be the top feature on the final afternoon of the fair.

Calling the sale will be Harry

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\$164 Waiting For Tuesday Shopper

PORTERVILLE, May 1 — Mrs. Marian Johnson was this week's Tuesday Bonus winner, but since she did not have a Tuesday Bonus store sales slip, she received \$5.00 and left \$164 riding in the pot for next Tuesday. Shop Tuesday Bonus stores in Porterville next Tuesday; save your sales slips; you just might be \$164 richer for your troubles if you get the magic call around 6:30 p.m. next Tuesday.

City Manager Is Still Seriously Ill

PORTERVILLE, May 1 — City Manager Charles J. Cummings is still seriously ill at the Veterans' hospital in Fresno; as we go to press it is reported that he is on the critical list. In an emergency operation last week his gall bladder was removed; he is suffering from other serious internal complication.

Deal Pending On Completion of Sale Of Tule River Citrus House On Tule

SUCCESS VALLEY, May 1 — Directors of the Tule River Citrus association and Army Engineers in this area have agreed on a price to be paid by the federal government for the Tule River Citrus association packing house on the Tule river, and the matter of whether or not a final deal will be completed will depend on a check of the transaction that is now being made by the office of the U.S. attorney general.

Henry Winters, former manager of the house, states that if the deal is completed, it is likely that

members of the cooperative will be paid about 75 per cent of the amount received.

About 25 per cent, Winters states, will probably be held back until all possible obligations are taken care of. It may take about taken care of. It may take about he states.

Meanwhile, plans are being completed for early payment of the house revolving fund, with this payment to amount to about \$2.50 for each \$1.00 that growers have put in the fund.

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GRASSHOPPER CONTROL ON INDIVIDUAL BASIS; NO FEDERAL PARTICIPATION BECAUSE OF INADEQUATE SIGN UP

VISALIA, May 1 — The Federal participating program for the control of grasshoppers in Tulare county has been abandoned by the Grasshopper Control Executive committee.

At a meeting of the committee in the office of the Tulare county Agricultural Commissioner, Elvin O. Mankins, it was found that because of the lack of interest shown and insufficient funds contributed, abandonment of the program was necessary.

The committee had approximately 100% cooperation from the cattlemen of the county, and wishes to herewith express thanks

and appreciation to them for their efforts.

As the situation stands at this time it is imperative that all growers of green crops handle their problems as to grasshopper control on their own, as an individual or in a district or community.

No Federal financial help will be available.

When the hopper hatch starts, a survey will be made throughout the area by Federal and County inspectors, and information as to any potential "hot spots" will be available from the Tulare County Commissioner's office.

Porterville Roundup Set for Weekend

Cowboys, Real And Otherwise, In Town; Western Parade Saturday Morning Opens 2-Day RCA Show

PORTERVILLE, May 1 — Cowboys, the real thing and the drug store variety, are prominent on Porterville's Main street this week, as professional rodeo hands drift in from throughout the West to compete for RCA world championship points in the 11th annual Porterville Roundup Saturday and Sunday, and as the natives "go western" in anticipation of the two-day show.

The world championship performance is set for the Rocky Hill arena, at 2 p.m., each afternoon; opening event is a western parade that will be led down Porterville's Main street by Mrs. Frances Pratt, a pioneer of the area, at 10 a.m., Saturday.

The parade will draw the valley's top horses and horsemen — men women and children — plus bands, horse-drawn vehicles and riding groups. No motor drawn vehicles are allowed in the parade.

Included among the contesting cowboys will be Vern Castro, of

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Remember!

PORTERVILLE, May 1 — Dates remember —

Strathmore Homecoming, Saturday.

Tulare County 4-H Fair, May 9-10.

Boy Scout Fund Drive — Now.

FAMOUS GOLD MINE MAY BE SOLD

PORTERVILLE, May 1 — The famous Alhambra-Shumway gold mine, 15 miles east of Placerville, in which a number of Porterville area people hold stock, may be sold, according to Ralph Howard, who is now board president of the corporation that owns the mine.

Joseph H. Benedict, of Los Angeles, has offered the par value for mine stock — 10 cents — and if 75 per cent of the stock is offered, the deal will be consummated.

Total sale price would run about \$385,000; an estimated \$160,000 would go to stockholders in the Porterville area. The mine has not operated since the early days of World War II and is at present

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ROYALTY OF the 11th Annual Porterville Roundup — Barbara Wicks, top, a Tulare high school senior, who has been selected as queen of the Roundup; Doreen Lamb, Strathmore, and Jackie Root, of Springville, attendants.

BURTON AND SUCCESS VALLEY TRACTOR WINNERS

VISALIA, May 1 — Burton and Success Valley 4-H clubs won just about everything there was to win at the 4-H tractor field day held last Saturday at Visalia.

Stanley (Sparky) Noble, Burton, won top senior division honors and awards of a trophy and a grease gun; Alvin Ramirez, Success Valley, placed second; Wesley

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Jim Muller Heads County 4-H Council

PORTERVILLE, May 1 — Jim Muller, of Terra Bella, has been elected president of the Tulare County 4-H council; Gordon Todd, of Ducor, is vice president and Mrs. Stanley Noble, of Burton, is a member of the board of directors; Mrs. J. E. Glover, Prairie Center; Mrs. J. E. Cushing, Pixley, and Herb Kramer, are also on the board.



BILL WARD, from Angels Camp, aboard "Sea Lion", shows typical action that will be seen at the Porterville Roundup, Saturday and Sunday at the Rocky Hill arena. Ward, along with other Rodeo Cowboy association members, will be competing for world championship points at the Porterville Roundup.

Dressing Room

PORTERVILLE, May 1 — Work is underway at the Porterville Fair grounds on a dressing room for use of 4-H and Future Farmer exhibitors. Funds are being donated by clubs of the area, with most recent contributions received from: Burton 4-H, \$70.00; Strathmore 4-H \$50.00; Vandalia 4-H, \$30.00.

Cindy Hughes Heads Canterbelles

PORTERVILLE, May 1 — Cindy Hughes, of Ducor, has been elected president of the Porterville Canterbelles; Jody Hastings is secretary-treasurer and Brenda Santry, publicity chairman. The girls are now preparing for their riding dates at the Porterville Roundup and the Porterville Fair.

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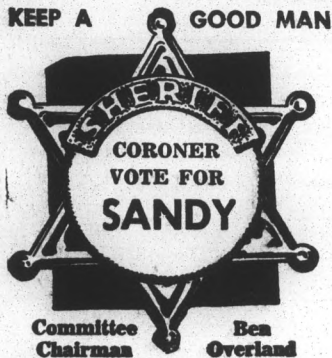
OUR TOWN

By Gardner (Bud) Wheeler

THERE IS A CERTAIN madness around and about our town this week. It might be called the Western hysteria, as all the citizenry joins in the frivolities of Western week. Western week is not just something that can be taken or left alone. It grows on you like a habit.

IN OUR CASA GRANDE the impact of the occasion has hit in a way that makes the merchants smile with glee. We have discovered that our prides and joys are virtually undressed, because they haven't bought new boots, Levi's, shirts, hats and other paraphernalia for the well-dressed Western hombre. The worst part of it is that the urchins have also discovered it, and we have been enfiladed with much conversation of late concerning the beauty and necessity of such finery. Well, they have worked with the persistence of a posse in the brush country with me being the victim. We have finally succumbed. The sentence is new raiment all around. We'll look fine in our new barrel trundling off to the

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CANCER CRUSADE "MOPPING UP" IN COUNTY

VISALIA, May 1 — Mopping up operations of the American Cancer Society's annual April Cancer Crusade are continuing in Tulare county.

President Rupert Flower of the Society's Tulare County branch, said the approximately 22,500 residents of the county who can expect to have cancer at some time in their lives stand to gain added years of health by familiarizing themselves with the educational program of the society and by giving financial support to its research work.

"They can help detect the disease early in themselves or a loved one," he declared, "and by assisting the research program of the American Cancer society they can help speed the day when the threat of cancer will be entirely removed."

"Paradoxically," he added, "we know more about cancer than about other diseases, but we know comparatively little about its control. Expanded research will help narrow this gap."

poor house.

IN THE METROPOLITAN AREA of our town which encompasses the general stretch from Olive to Morton, (We better recalculate. We have two readers on South Main, so we'll make it from the Tule to Morton.) Everyone is dressed as if heading for a rugged night in Poker Gulch. Tight boots are in evidence as the uninitiated rock along in an uneven keel like a man strolling through puncture vines bare-footed. The cut of the Levi's and jeans on the feminine branch of the species also brings out some startling views that had best be left undescribed. By contrast, though, it almost makes the chemise dress look good. Almost, that is. We can't go all the way.

ALL THIS WILL PASS, as it does every year, with a fine and frantic performance out at the Rocky Hill Arena this weekend. Here gentlemen that ride tall in the saddle will pit their brain and brawn against some unreconstructed livestock. These emotionally upset bovines and equines will do their best to do their human competitors dirt, by putting them in the dirt. Loosely put, it will be a mad scramble, and all us

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By Gerry Regan

Local cotton growers, are about 95% planted, with about 85% of the cotton planted up to a stand. Another 10 days of good weather will see all of the cotton planted.

Root rot, encouraged by the cool nights of last week, is showing up in many fields and several growers have already replanted.

Ray Jackson, manager of Coblerly-West's Woodville Gin, reports that growers are hoping for a hot summer and a late fall to maintain last year's average yield of two bales per acre. A late fall means hot, dry weather until Thanksgiving.

Jackson was appointed manager of the Woodville gin April 1, of this year. He is a native of Bakersfield and a veteran of 12 years service with the U.S.A.F. Serving from 1942 to 1953.

He and his wife, Helen, are the parents of three children, two boys and a girl; they expect to move to this area from Bakersfield some time in June.

Joe Neill, recently appointed gin manager of Kingsburg Cotton Oil Co.'s Welcome Growers gin, is a native of Texas and a veteran of four years U.S.A.F. service.

Neill was employed by the Kingsburg Cotton Oil Co. in its Fresno division for several years prior to his appointment as manager at the Welcome Gin. His spare time activities include several years as manager of Little League teams in that area. (Porterville Little League, please note.)

Woodville Little League's second tryout, held last Saturday at the school diamond was attended by 45 eager aspirants. Team managers were pleased with the many experienced and enthusiastic players from the Tipton area. Woodville Little League boundaries include the Tipton area this year.

Team managers for this year are: Gerald Vossler, Yankees; Ben Hawthorne, Dodgers; Leon Bennett, Cubs; and Junior Lambert, manager of last year's champion Giants.

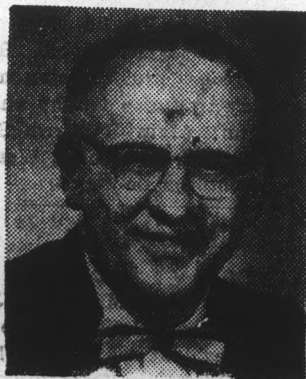
LATE TOMATOES HAVE BETTER JUICE

DAVIS, May 1 — Middle and late-season tomatoes produce higher quality juice than do early tomatoes — at least this is indicated in tests completed at Davis.

Acreage for harvest of late spring potatoes nationally is 181,800 acres, five per cent above 1957 but nine per cent below average.

pseudo-Westerners will sit in the stands and get sunburned noses and pay three prices for warm drinks. Later, we can all read in the papers what happened and sit back and relax till another Western week rolls around.

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The Farm Tribune, 522 N. Main
Wanda's Children's Wear, 121 N. Main

TUESDAY BONUS CONTEST RULES

Each week Porterville's Tuesday Bonus merchants will appropriate \$25 to be awarded to the winner of a contest. Persons residing in the Porterville trade area, 18 years of age or over are eligible to enter this contest.

Secure an official entry blank from any Tuesday Bonus store and complete this sentence in 25 additional words or less:

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Entries will be received at Tuesday Bonus stores. All entries will be judged each week and the person who, in the opinion of the judges, has submitted the best entry, will be declared the winner and will receive \$5. In the event of a tie, duplicate prizes will be awarded.

A Tuesday Bonus representative will call at the home of a winning contestant, or phone, the evening of each Tuesday Bonus day, between the hours of 6 and 7 and will award a \$5 prize. If the contestant is not at home, he may call at The Farm Tribune office and receive his \$5 award.

If the winner is at home to receive his \$5 prize and can produce proof of purchase or payment on account that Tuesday Bonus day, (The latter to be from an individual store, in the amount of \$5 or more, unless stated "balance of account") from a Tuesday Bonus store or stores, then he is eligible for a bonus award according to the following schedule:

If sales slips amount to more than \$5 he will be awarded the entire bonus.

If sales slips amount to less than \$5 he will be awarded one-half the entire bonus.

Whatever part of the award that is not awarded in any week, will be added to the next week's bonus. The \$5 prize for the best entry will be paid regardless of whether the winner has a sales slip or not.

Entries will be judged principally on the basis of their sincerity and quality of thought. All entries become the property of Tuesday Bonus merchants and the decision of the judges is final.

Employees of The Farm Tribune and their immediate families are not eligible to enter the contest. Owners and employees of Tuesday Bonus Stores can win the additional awards only on sales slips from stores other than that with which they are connected.



By SLIM WASHBURN
SPRINGVILLE

The opening of Trout season May 3 will find most streams in this area high and roilly. However, the river has dropped and cleared this week, and unless the weather turns very hot, or we get a rain toward the end of the week, fishing should be fairly good with bait. Fly fishing will be poor.

The Tule river will be planted with catchables from Springville upstream through Coffee camp, and in the areas around Camp Nelson and Camp Wishon.

The road to Quaking Aspen is closed from Cedar Slope up be-

cause of snow. The road to Balch Park is also closed. The road to Jack Flat (The North Fork) will not be open. The Tule River Indian Reservation will not be open to fishing this year.

Bakersfield Girl Is Dairy Princess For Valley Area

TULARE, May 1 — A Bakersfield girl, 19-year-old Tonja Ann Evetts, was named District 14 Dairy Princess in a contest held Saturday at Tulare. The Princess contest is staged in California by the California Dairy Industry Advisory board and the American Dairy Association of California.

Second place winner, or alternate princess, is Francia Betten-court, 17, of Lemoore.

Tonja will represent District 14 at the state Dairy Princess finals to be held this next weekend at Los Banos. The winner there will enter the national finals to be held in Louisiana next fall.

Thirteen girls in California will be present at the Los Banos contest.

"Rock-A-Billy" To Defend Title In Toad Derby

COALINGA, May 1 — "Rock-A-Billy" who modestly carries the title of world's champion horned toad, will defend his racing title at annual California Horned-Toad derby, at Coalinga, May 23 and 24.

"Billy" will defend against some 150 speedy, reptiles, entered from Merced to Bakersfield, as well as from Texas, Oklahoma and Arizona.

Parade, entertainment, barbecue, homecoming and a stage show are among the features of the two-day celebration.

Maurice Bryant Working In Area

PORTERVILLE, May 1 — Maurice Bryant, candidate for County Tax collector, was in Porterville this week working in behalf of his candidacy. Bryant is a native of the county, a farmer, and an accountant.

FRESH PEACH BOARD MEETING MAY 16

FRESNO, May 1 — Crop conditions report and adopting of grade, size, maturity and pack regulation are slated for a meet-

Teacher Accepted For Special Course

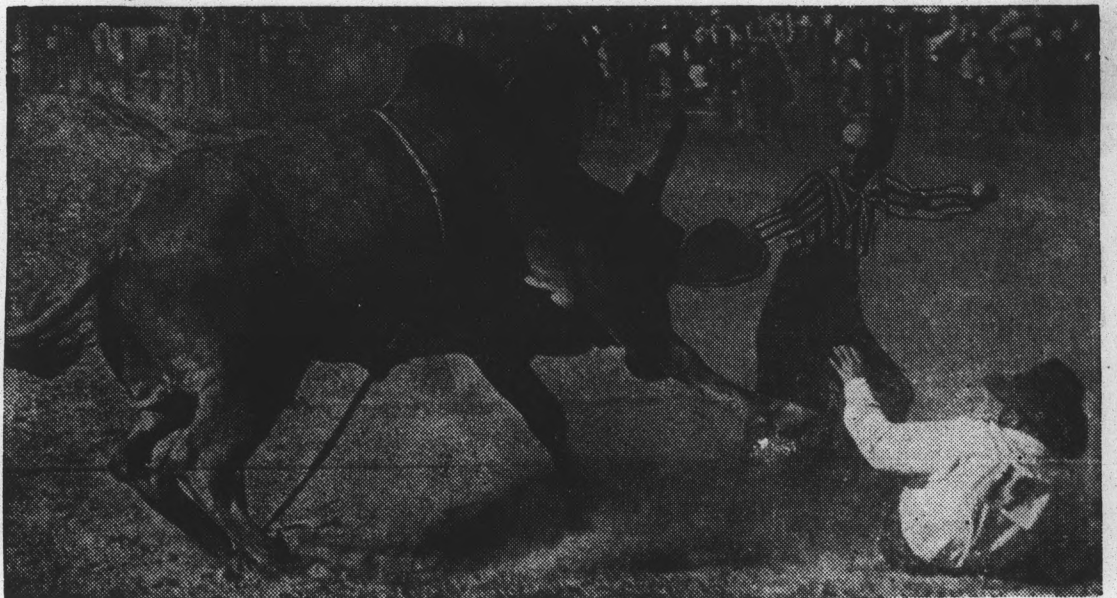
PORTERVILLE, May 1 — Gladys Perry, instructor in biology and physiology at the Porterville High school, has been accepted as one of 50 college and high school science teachers to participate in the Claremont Summer Institute

ing of the Fresh Peach Advisory board, May 16, 9 a.m., at 621 Belmont avenue in Fresno. All growers and handlers are invited to attend.

of Biology to be held in Claremont. The institute is sponsored by the National Science foundation, which also is financing attendance at other institutes for science teachers at various colleges and universities throughout the United States.

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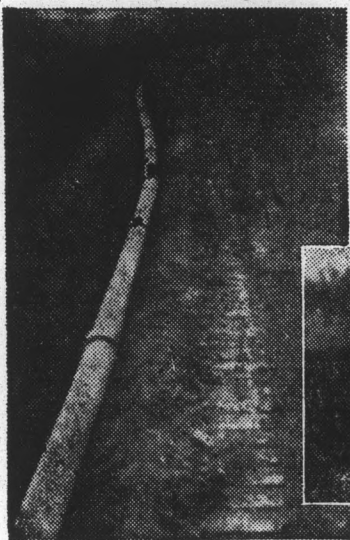
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By BILL RODGERS

RALPH JORDAN is a well and favorably known individual in some areas of Tulare county, but not so well known in others, so just to keep you posted on this man who is offering to go to work for the counties of Kings and Tulare in the State Assembly, may we suggest that Ralph is the kind of individual who people are always looking for to run for public office, but seldom find.

JORDAN HAS the attributes of youth — he is slightly past the middle 30's mark — yet he has also the attribute of experience in government, gained through five years of work as Tulare County Counsel, two years as assistant

county counsel and a couple of years as deputy district attorney.

BECAUSE OF this experience as county counsel, a job in which he acts as chief legal advisor for the county of Tulare, Jordan has had a wealth of experience in the fields of taxation, welfare, school problems, administrative policies in relation to handling of public funds; he has had vast experience in the governmental fields that overlap between county and state; he is in daily contact with technical legal problems involving government; because of his experience and background in Tulare county, he is probably as well informed as is anyone in the county on matters relating to the practical and legal aspects of government.

SPECIFICALLY, JORDAN is the man who in 1952 and again in 1955 "carried the ball" for the county of Tulare, in opposing arbitrary assessment practices regulations that the State Board of Equalization sought to impose on Tulare county. And when Jordan, with the legal "team" that worked with him, won a court action for Tulare county in this case, Tulare county taxpayers benefitted because assessed values were held at a reasonable level instead of being skyrocketed as planned by the state board of equalization.

AND IN the now famous "Coonrod case", in which the county of Tulare challenged welfare fund payments as being made illegally, Jordan won a favorable decision for the county of Tulare, beating the powerful state welfare board.

JORDAN IS a veteran of Navy action in World War II; he is a member of the American, state and county bar associations; with a family of three daughters and a son, both he and his wife are

News Of The SPRINGVILLE COMMUNITY

By WINNIE GAGE

(April 24, 1958)

Six Cub Scouts, Den No. 2, planted six locust trees at Coffee Camp on April 14th in line with "Keep America Beautiful". Mr. and Mrs. John Caragozian accompanied the boys, Johnny Carter, Gary Root, Tommy McDonald, Johnny Myers, Duane Lantsberger and Bobby Meltberger. Mrs. Susie McDonald is their Den Mother.

Mrs. James Taber, 65, died April 16, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Austin Sinnerude in Beaverton, Ore. Mrs. Taber had been ill for several months but was taken to her daughter's home three weeks ago. She leaves her husband, the daughter, a son, James, Jr., and seven grandchildren.

Mr. and Mrs. Taber made their home in Springville several years while they owned the drug store, and then a year in Oregon, and then back to Porterville. Funeral services and burial was in Beaverton.

Mrs. Elsie Voss of San Diego is a house guest of her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hamar.

Mrs. Grace Hamar is in San Diego visiting her son, Charles, who is in the Navy.

Mrs. Willard Choate was honored with a shower for her two

active in P.T.A. and Boy Scout work.

RALPH JORDAN basically believes that government should be kept close to home; he believes that state programs must be considered in the light of essential needs — that state programs that unfairly impose added tax burdens to individuals and property must be opposed; he believes that state laws must be revised to guarantee that unions are run for the benefit of union members; he believes that fish and game and other natural resources must be sensibly managed to assure maximum present and future use; he believes Tulare and Kings counties must have strong representation in Sacramento to protect their water interests.

THOSE ARE some of the things we think you should know about Ralph Jordan. When you consider experience, background, ability, family, education, basic thinking, and demonstrated ability, he is far and away our best bet for State Assembly.

INCIDENTALLY, JORDAN has taken a leave of absence from the county of Tulare to campaign on his own time. He will be available on call, however, if needed in the office of the county counsel, also on his own time.

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month old son, Willard Parker, in the Friendship Hall on April 16. Thirty-five friends attended and several sent gifts.

Mrs. Vernon Gill, Mrs. Norman Norris and Mrs. Darwin Griswold were the hostesses at the salad luncheon. A game was played and prizes given. The young Willard has five sisters to help entertain and care for him.

The April meeting of the Springville 4-H Club was held recently and the club decided to have a clean up day sometime this month and pick up litter along the highway from Springville to Globe road. This will be their project for the year.

Reports were given by Marion Brockman on County Demonstration; Steven on his beef; Andrew on his rabbits, and cooking; Mary Choate, sewing; Sharlene Brockman, sewing, dairy and cooking.

Demonstrations were given by Sandra Fleeming and Pat Hall on "Making Fudge"; Mary and Cynthia Choate in "The Do and Don'ts in the Kitchen".

Two members, Marion Brockman and Delores Witt will compete in the regionals at Chowchilla in May with their winning demonstration "Chaps For Chefs".

Refreshments were served by Cheryl Lyman, Skip Davis, Johnny Carter, Gary and Gwenie Root.

The club entered a decorated cart in the Springville parade May 12. Those taking part were Andrew Moore, Jerry Hall, Jerry Gould and Sharlene Brockman. Damaris Stillian, another member, rode her steer in the parade and win a trophy for her unusual entry.

All members were given a chance to sell hot dogs at the rodeo as one of the money raising events of the year.

RODNEY AVERY
4-H Reporter

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Negus visited their daughters, Mrs. R. D. Boies and family and Mrs. Delbert Husband and family, in Monterey Park over the weekend.

Claudia Unser, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Unser, is home after four days in the Sierra View

Hospital in Porterville following a major operation last Wednesday.

Robert Moore and Betty O'Connor were married in Las Vegas on April 15. Their attendants were Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Gililand. Robert is a son of Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Moore of Porterville. Betty is employed in the office of the Springville Ranger Station and Robert is employed at Wicks pack station.

Charlie Gabriel, who has been ill for some time in the Veterans' Hospital in Fresno has been transferred to the hospital in San Francisco.

Mr. and Mrs. P. H. McDonald and family attended the rodeo in Three Rivers on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Porter and family were weekend guests of his brother and family in Lancaster.

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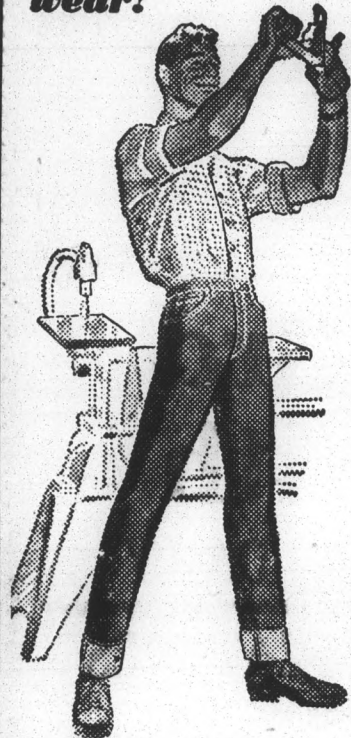
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Senator Williams Refuses To Vote For "Mutilated" Budget That Fails To Provide For Water Development

SACRAMENTO, May 1—Repercussions still resounded as the California legislature adjourned last week after breaking the longest and most bitter deadlock in its history by adopting a budget stripped of every dollar of appropriations for water development.

Among those refusing to vote for the mutilated budget was Senator J. Howard Williams of Tulare county. Although he was chairman of the final Conference committee whose report broke the deadlock, Williams was bitterly opposed to giving up the water development money and refused to sign the report or to vote for the budget without water appropriations.

"To those of us who have been struggling these many weeks for any reasonable sum to continue

the desperately needed development of water in this state", the Senator said, "it is crystal clear that a small group in Southern California is dictating the water policy for the entire state. They imposed this stalemate upon the legislature in the face of the considered recommendations of such organizations as the Irrigation Districts association, the County Supervisors association, the state chamber of commerce, the California Farm Bureau federation, and many other statewide organizations, and at our local Tulare county level the Friant Water Users association, who represent eighty-five percent of all water used in this area.

"The orderly development of California's water, using the proposed California Water plan as a

guide, must be accomplished if this state is to keep abreast of its phenomenal population growth and develop as it must to provide employment and a living for the thousands of people daily coming into the state from other parts of the country, as well as our own expanding population. If our economic development does not keep pace with this population growth, the millions which should have gone into development of water will be going into relief moneys.

"The investment fund contains money which the state received from the tidelands oil suit. If this money — derived from a natural resource — is not used to develop a natural resource, which is water, we will find the State of California dipping into this fund for money for other purposes. An example is the request to borrow fifty million dollars from the fund for highway purposes.

"That request does carry a repayment feature," the Senator continued, "but that is only the beginning, and the next dip into this fund might not carry such a repayment clause and the entire fund could be dissipated, leaving us with no backlog for water development and further complicating that already titantically complex problem.

"Our economy cannot continue to bear the critical shortage of water without breaking down. It is a fact that many farmers have been forced to abandon preferred crops and change to less desirable ones because of the water shortage, so that instead of developing we are already actually going backward. Industry too is being discouraged by the water shortage, and the uncertainties are damaging to the State's credit.

"The budget adopted provides only enough money to keep the Department of Water Resources in operation and maintain the skilled staff which has taken years of effort to establish. They will be able to continue with some studies, but so far as water development is concerned, we are at a standstill. This is a tragedy for the state, because construction for water development is not a thing which can begin overnight. It takes years of studying and planning. There is not one cent now for site acquisition or development, rights of way, or necessary relocation of railroads, highways, and utilities, all of which must be accomplished if we are to move ahead.

"Although the legislature's refusal to appropriate money for water development is a tactical vic-



JUNE, 1900
LOS ANGELES — Washington officials of the Interior department have consented to the removal of about 3,000 Pima and Papagos Indians from the Gila reservation in Arizona to the vineyards and orchards of Fresno county. It is said that hundreds of carloads of peaches and grapes will spoil unless the Indians are imported to work.

ESHOM VALLEY — Bears are quite numerous around here now, and Hugh Miller, an old pioneer of Tulare county, has trapped 10 "Old Bruins" during the past year.

HOT SPRINGS — The new store was opened today by J. Mitchell, the courteous and obliging mer-

chant of White River.

Walter Coughran will be ready to feed the tired and hungry in the new restaurant, Monday.

Supervisor Clark was here for a short while yesterday. He came to inspect the new road. Hope he will keep up with the good work.

C. Neilsen, and wife, of Porterville, are registered at the springs.

A. Gould, and party, of Fresno, are expected here tomorrow.

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ARMY GROUP IN PORTERVILLE ON JULY 21

PORTERVILLE, May 1 — Porterville will host the 349th Transportation Group of the U.S. Army reserve when this unit moves through the area on July 21.

Present plan is for the group to bivouac in the Porterville municipal ball park the night of July 21, and to present a military display there. The unit will be moving from Camp Roberts to Holey meadow with 150 men and from 75 to 100 vehicles.

Planning arrangements Sunday with Acting City Manager Ross Gardner and Chamber of Commerce Manager Allan Coates were Col. J. S. Hollman, Maj. D. H. Green and Capt. W. T. Wright, reserve officers from Los Angeles.

YOUR LEGISLATOR AT WORK!



Senator
J. Howard Williams
32nd District
California State Legislature

Members in both houses of your legislature heaved a big collective sigh of relief as the budget act for fiscal 1958-59 was finally given an Okey by a one vote margin in the Senate, and was sent on its way to the Governor for signature. With the completion of that surprisingly difficult task, we had carried out our responsibility of providing the money to run the many functions of your state government for another full year. But it wasn't easy, as the political news columns of the newspapers have more than adequately testi-

fied in recent weeks.

The stand-out feature of the new budget act is not its size — the \$1 billion, 999 million total was \$56 million less than the total requested by the Governor — but rather the fact that it is wrong completely "dry". There's not a dollar in it for new water facility construction. The boys in blue and gray of the current titanic struggle over water between north and south succeeded in knocking each other completely out.

Those from the north didn't get the building funds for the Feather River Project they fought so valiantly for. Those from the south didn't get the water rights constitutional amendment upon which they based their whole campaign. The whole war will have to be fought over again at the 1959 regular session. Neither side is happy — each is just exhausted.

This huge budget is both the largest in our state's history, and the largest state budget in the nation. We, as your legislators, and you, the citizens of California, are equally fortunate that reserves built up in previous years enabled us to finance it without levying any new taxes. Because of the continued rapid growth of our great state with its consequent demand for expansion in state services, it doesn't seem likely that the next budget can be financed without turning to new sources of state revenue.

We are confident that every California citizen, man, woman and child, will get the full value for every dollar to be spent under the new budget. As a matter of fact, all the experts, including our own legislative analyst, agree that it is a very "tight" budget, with nary a trace of pork-barrel lard in it. It's huge for two good reasons. For one, our state itself is huge. It takes money and lots of it to provide the residents of both Im-

perial and Modoc counties as well as those of all other 56 counties with the same high quality of state government service.

For the other, Californians insist upon the most modern and efficient state services, and over the years have demanded many services which other states do not provide. It costs real money to give such quality service, but let the continuance of one extra service be even questioned in committee hearing, and your legislators hear about it, but good.

Proof of this latter fact is evident in the total of \$796 million appropriated for education—forty cents out of each dollar budgeted. No other state in the union spends as much per capita for education; no other state spends as much per child or youth enrolled in public schools. Yet, recent events in the interplanetary age have made many people question the quality and value of the education we are providing at such great expense.

So your legislature has established a joint interim committee on the public educational system, to dig out the hard facts. During the months to come this group will be investigating our teacher process, to find out whether we are educating Joe and Betty as loyal Americans, giving them the knowledge and skills needed to cope with our nuclear age.

Other new laws which have come out of the first special session relate to improvements in veterans' welfare laws, including major overhauling of the Cal-Vet home loan system. Many bills of urgent importance to local government bodies throughout the state have also been enacted into law to help them meet their current problems in better fashion.

The first special session of 1958 may be a matter of history as you read this. But everyone close to it must agree that a lot of thoughtful, painstaking effort was expended by your legislators, and all

MORE WORKERS IN AGRICULTURE

FRESNO, May 1 — Agricultural employment in the San Joaquin valley hit 85,000 workers last week, compared to 79,000 at the same time last year.

Social Security Number Is Needed

PORTERVILLE, May 1 — Seasonal workers and students, who are taking their first job this summer must have social security numbers. Forms may be obtained at the social security administration office, 337 E. Willow, Visalia, or at post offices.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS

No. 14075
In the Superior Court of the State of California In and For The County of Tulare

In the Matter of the Estate of HENRY S. SHORT, also known as H. S. Short, Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN by the undersigned, MARGARET R. EWALT, Executrix of the Last Will and Testament of HENRY S. SHORT, also known as H. S. Short, to the creditors of, and all persons having claims against said deceased, to file them with the necessary vouchers within six (6) months after first publication of this notice in the Office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Tulare, or to exhibit said claims with the necessary vouchers within six (6) months to said Executrix at the office of Guy Knupp, Jr., located at 401 East Mill, in the City of Porterville, County of Tulare, State of California, which said office the undersigned selects as her place of business in all matters connected with the Estate of Henry S. Short, also known as H. S. Short, Deceased.

Dated: April 16, 1958.

MARGARET R. EWALT

GUY KNUPP, JR.
401 East Mill
Porterville, California
Telephone SU 4-2378
Attorney for Executrix ap17,24,m1,8,15

YEAR OF 1958 NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING OF HILO WATER COMPANY

The annual meeting of the Hilo Water Company, is to be held by its stockholders on Friday, April 25th, 1958, at 7 P.M. o'clock at the Company office, the residence of Frank O. Sheldon, one mile east of Main Street, Porterville, on Cypress Ave., Box 691, Porterville, for the purpose of electing a board of directors and for extending the Charter, the purpose of consulting about the disposition of property, and any other business that may properly come before the meeting.

s/ FRANK O. SHELDON, Secretary a24,m1

NOTICE OF HEARING PETITION TO ABANDON ROAD

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to all persons interested and to all freeholders of District No. 1 of the County of Tulare, State of California, that a petition was filed with the Board of Supervisors of the County of Tulare, State of California on April 18, 1958, petitioning said Board to abandon a public alley twenty (20') feet wide, the center line of which is particularly described as follows:

That certain alley designated and delineated on the map of Tract No. 127 as the map of said Tract is recorded in Volume 20, Page 11 of Maps in the Office of the Tulare County Recorder, the sidelines of which are more particularly described as follows:

Commencing at the Northwest corner of Lot 2 of Tract 127; thence Easterly along the North line of said Lot 2 and of Lot 1, 269.28 feet; thence South 44° 54' 45" E. 14.12 feet to the East line of said Lot 1; thence Southerly along the said East line 126 feet; thence Easterly along the Easterly prolongation of the South line of said Lot 1, 20 feet; thence Northerly parallel to and 20 feet distant from the East line of said Lot 1, 146 feet, more or less, to the Southeast corner of Lot 3 of said Tract 127; thence along the South line of said Lot 3, 299.28 feet to the Southwest corner of said Lot 3; thence Southerly along the Easterly prolongation of the West line of said Lot 3, 20 feet to the Northwest corner of said Lot 2 of said Tract 127; the point of beginning.

Said petition will be heard by the Board of Supervisors of the County of Tulare, State of California, in the chambers of said Board, in the Court-house in the City of Visalia, California, on May 20, 1958, at ten o'clock a.m., when any person interested may present evidence thereon.

CLAUD H. GRANT, County Clerk and Ex-officio Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of the County of Tulare, State of California.

By JAY C. BAYLESS, Deputy m1,8

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT: The co-partnership heretofore existing between RONALD R. SCOTT and RICHARD W. McDARMENT under the name and style of SCOTT and McDARMENT at 302 East Putnam Street, Porterville, California, is now dissolved by mutual consent.

RICHARD W. McDARMENT, of the City of Porterville State of California, has withdrawn from and has ceased to be associated in the carrying on of said business, and RONALD R. SCOTT, of the City of Lynwood, State of California, will hereafter carry on said business and he is entitled to all of the assets of said business.

Said co-partnership is dissolved as of April 1, 1958.

s/ RONALD R. SCOTT
s/ RICHARD W. McDARMENT m1,8,15,22

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Arthur R. Carpenter, 739 Conley Street, Porterville, California. Business address: 1028 N. Main Street, Porterville, California.
Jack E. Witt, 729 Conley Street, Porterville, California. Business address: 1028 N. Main Street, Porterville, California.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we have this 16th day of April, 1958, made and signed the certificate.

ARTHUR R. CARPENTER
JACK E. WITT

State of California)
County of Tulare)

On April 16, 1958, before me, the undersigned, a Notary Public in and for said County and State, personally appeared ARTHUR R. CARPENTER and JACK E. WITT, known to me to be the partners who executed the foregoing CERTIFICATE OF CO-PARTNERSHIP DOING BUSINESS UNDER FICTITIOUS NAME, and acknowledged to me that such partnership executed the same.

ROBERT C. NATZKE, Notary Public in and for said County and State.

My Commission expires January 24, 1961. m1,8,15,22

MULLER, NATZKE HEAD COMMITTEE FOR BALLANTYNE

PORTERVILLE, May 1 — Raymond Muller, Porterville area rancher, and Dr. Richard H. Natzke, Porterville physician, today were named by Jay R. Ballantyne, candidate for district attorney, as co-chairmen of his campaign for the Porterville area.

Both Mr. Muller and Dr. Natzke said they are endorsing the Visalia lawyer because they feel he is experienced in legal work and well qualified for the office of district attorney of Tulare county.

In accepting the appointments, both Porterville men expressed the belief that Mr. Ballantyne will give the county honest and efficient law enforcement.

They also pointed out his work for civic betterment, his untiring work with the youth of the county and his pledge to devote his full time to serving as district attorney for all of the people of the county.

Ballantyne, who has been associated with the Visalia firm of McKinney and Ballantyne for the last several years, formerly served for two years in the district attorney's office under Robert K. Myers, now a superior court judge.

He has based his campaign on his "Five R's": Reduce taxes, respect rights of all, rigorously prosecute, reject private practice and restore harmony in government.

Vandalia Club On Project Tour

VANDALIA, May 1 — Members of the Vandalia 4-H club enjoyed a project tour, Saturday, visiting the following: Chris Hildreth, sheep project; John Crosiar, steer; Mike Bennett, steer; Richard Marshall, poultry; Connie Grigsby, calf; Tommy Masters, entomology; Geraldine Masters, poultry; Nancy and Trish Smith, horses; Marilyn Gunderson, horse, and John Emery, citrus seedlings.

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Valley anglers are reminded that some good trout fishing is to be had in the coastal area south of San Francisco when they get tired of familiar scenery. Most of the readily accessible roadside waters readily accessible roadside waters ing schedule with most of the fish coming from the San Joaquin hatchery.

In Santa Clara county, three reservoirs were stocked last fall with sub-catchable to provide fish for this spring, the man made lakes being, Coyote reservoir, via Gilray and the Hot Springs road. Llagas reservoir, about two miles west of Morgan Hill and Uvas Creek reservoir, also about two miles west of Morgan hill. These lakes are reached via Pacheco Pass.

Some good Monterey county trout waters include: Arroyo Seco creek, west of Highway 101 and west of King City where the road follows the stream from Memorial Park to Escondido, but no fishing is permitted on the Hunter-Liggett Military reservation. Carmel river from Highway One bridge upstream to headwaters. Higgins creek, tributary to Arroyo Seco river northwest of Santa Lucia Memorial camp but via trail only.

Still in Monterey county, the Los Padres reservoir on the Carmel road via Cachagua road. Mill creek on Coast Highway, seven miles south of Lucia; Nacimiento river, 30 miles west of King City.

In San Luis Obispo county the following have been planted with catchable size rainbow: Arroyo Grande creek, east of the town of Arroyo Grande; Atascadero creek between Atascadero and Morro Bay; Lopez Canyon creek from junction with Arroyo Grand creek and Reservoir Canyon lake, two miles north of San Luis Obispo.

In the San Joaquin valley, all suitable roadside waters have been well stocked with big trout and the problem of not limiting out in a hurry will not be for the lack

BROWN'S COUNTY TOUR TO START IN PORTERVILLE

PORTERVILLE, May 1 — Four Tulare county appearances on May 17 by Edmund G. (Pat) Brown, Democratic endorsed candidate for governor, to be topped by a public rally at Mooney Park, have been announced by County Co-chairmen Mrs. Virginia Foran of Porterville and Cammie Haden of Dinuba.

The public has been invited to the Mooney Park event which will be featured by an address by the attorney general. Box lunches have been arranged for persons attending the rally.

Brown will fly into Porterville at 10 a.m. and will begin his Tulare county schedule by delivering a talk in that city. He will follow the Porterville address with appearances in Lindsay and Exeter before arriving at Mooney park.

The candidate for governor of the state of California will be accompanied on his tour of the county by Virgil C. Dowell, a Visalia attorney, who heads the attorney general's bureau in Tulare county.

of a supply to meet the demand.

River fishermen are expected to be standing side by side along the Kings river below Pine Flat and the San Joaquin below Friant. In this latter river the fisherman may just hook into a salmon as several reports have been received of the fish running up the river this year because of the abundance of water.

Frogging by the way has been excellent throughout the valley and only a \$3 fishing license is now required for taking frogs.

The abalone and clam fraternity will find good minus tides from May 1 through the 8th and might tie in some coastal trout fishing or try out for a sack full of fish from the ocean waters.

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TRAFFIC QUESTIONS WILL BE ANSWERED AT CLINIC THAT WILL BRING STATE AUTHORITIES TO PORTERVILLE MAY 2

PORTERVILLE, May 1 — Tulare county residents will have a chance to get answers to their questions on traffic safety at a special traffic Safety Clinic to be held May 2 in Porterville, according to Herbert Short, president of the Tulare County Safety council.

The affair will be held under joint auspices of the Porterville American Legion Post and the Governor's Traffic Safety committee, and will be held in Veterans' Memorial building, starting at 7:30 p.m.

State officials taking part will

include: Supervising Inspector Milo H. Hewitt of the California Highway patrol, Sacramento; T. E. Rogers, senior transportation operations supervisor, Public Utilities commission, San Francisco; George M. Webb, state traffic engineer, Sacramento; E. W. Taylor, district traffic engineer, Fresno; Robert D. Vander Noor, department of motor vehicles, Porterville; and Dr. John R. Eales, consultant in secondary education, department of education, Sacramento.

W. A. Higgins, executive secretary, Governor's Traffic Safety committee, will act as moderator.

The state officials will be matched with local officials in similar fields, including J. Post Williams, James Kendrick, and Joe Garcia. J. Claude Nelson, safety chairman of the American Legion Post 20, will act as general chairman.

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Livermore, former world champion team roper and consistently in the nation's top 10 ropers; Les Johnson, of Omak, Washington, who ranked in the nation's top 10 saddle bronc riders last season.

Dale Smith, of Central, Arizona, world champion team roper in 1956; Bob Schild, of Pocatello, Idaho, former national intercollegiate champion saddle bronc and bareback bronc rider; John Hatley, of Uvalde, Texas, and Carl Mendes, of Visalia, former world champion steer wrestlers; and Joel Sublette, of Tuscon, ranked in the top 10 bull riders last year.

Favorite of the crowd will no doubt be Jim Madland, from Woodville, who last year topped bareback bronc and bull riders at the Porterville Roundup and who was judged all-around cowboy of the show.

And champion cowboys will be competing against champion rodeo stock in the Christensen Brothers string, which boasts such broncs as "War Paint", voted by competing cowboys as the toughest buck in the nation both last year and in 1956, and Desert Rat and Miss Red Bluff, voted in the top 10 buckers of the nation.

War Paint will be in the regular draw Sunday afternoon.

Mel Lampert will be the man with the mike; Slim Pickens, bull fighter and clown, will be assisted by his trick horse, "Dear John", (youngsters and oldsters saw Slim and his horse in the Walt Disney TV series, "The Saga of Andy Burnett") Porterville's Canterbells will ride both days, Clyde Burchell Jr., 10 years of age, will present his Roman Riding act, and The 49'er, Slim Andrews, and his pal, Buster, will be on hand.

Special events will include a calf scramble for 4-H club members on Saturday, and for Future Farmers on Sunday. Donating calves are: John Guthrie, Maurice Gill, Bob Lard, Ronald R. Scott, Wilbur Dennis, Max Crumal, Ray Hutchinson, Jo Ann Hughes, Dolph Smith, Louis and Vernon Gill, the Christensen Brothers and

II, the mine was shut down by government order; it was never reopened. Howard states that in recent years, the corporation has been having difficulty keeping taxes paid.

Officials of the Alhambra-Shumway corporation, with Howard, are: Jamets McPike, secretary-treasurer, of Fresno; and directors A. B. Hines and "Van" Van Buren of Fresno; and Ralph Green and Ernie Lawless of Coalinga.

Variety Of Music On Program For Annual Panther Band Concert At Memorial Auditorium May 9

PORTERVILLE, May 1 — The Porterville Panther band is in the final rehearsal stages for its annual concert, with the concert this year, to be presented in the Porterville Memorial auditorium, May 9, 1958.

The program will feature music that will show the flexibility of the band musicianship, from the latest contemporary composers to the most traditional in band music. A trumpet trio will be featured: Charles Stricker, Noel Walker, Joe Mitchell, all seniors of the Panther band, will play "Trumpets Wild", written by Harold Walters.

Porterville Fair

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Hardy, of Bakersfield, who will be assisted by his son, "Skinner" Hardy, who made his first auction ring sale at the Porterville Fair in 1956, and who is now a professional.

New feature of the fair this year will be a home economics division for 4-H members and girls in high school home economics classes.

Clothing judge will be Mary Ruth Dewey, county home advisor; foods will be judged by Mrs. Elmira Liedau, Southern California Edison company home economist, and by Lorraine Burtner, Terra Bella 4-H leader.

Two division trophies are being donated by Mrs. John H. Guthrie—one for the outstanding food entry in the youngest age groups, the second for the outstanding clothing entry in the youngest age groups.

the Orange Belt Saddle club.

Six calves will go to 4-H competitors and six to Future Farmers. Winners must feed out their calves for showing in the 1959 Porterville fair.

Another added event is a Porterville business men's calf tying contest, with five business firms to put competitors in the arena each day.

Saturday night the "joint will be jumpin'" as Tex Ritter appears as guest star with the Cousin Herb band in the official Roundup dance at the Green Mill.

Official rodeo events include: Saddle bronc riding, bareback bronc riding, bull riding, calf roping, team roping and steer wrestling.

A march with a unique drum beat will be featured on the concert, the "Netherlands March", transcribed from a recording, by the band's arranger, Dick Jones.

During the past four years, the band has received Superior rating at all the music festivals and some of the comments made were as follows: "One of the best bands in California." Another judge acclaimed the band as one of the best concert bands in the nation.

The climax of the concert will feature a number for college band classification, "Pines of the Apian Way", by Repighi. This number has one of the most unique build-ups in band literature.

The concert is the musical highlight of the Panther band's year; the concert will start at 8:00 p.m. Donation is \$.50.

Deal Pending

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Personal property, such as boxes, hand trucks and small machinery and tools, are being offered for sale. Winter says.

The Tule river house is not now operating, most of the growers moving into the Porterville Citrus association, where Winters is now manager.

Site of the Tule River Citrus house is on the floor of the reservoir that will lie behind the proposed Success dam.

Burton

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Weisenberger and Dick Ramirez, also Success Valley, placed third and fifth; Steve Lopez, of Columbine, placed fourth.

Receiving jackets in junior division competition were Neal Cook, and Bob Nuckols, Burton.

FRESH PLUM BOARD MEETING IN FRESNO

FRESNO, May 1 — A meeting of the California Fresh Plum Advisory board has been called for May 15, 9 a.m., at the board office, 621 Belmont avenue, to discuss crop conditions and the adoption of grade, size, maturity and pack regulations for the 1958-59 season. All growers and handlers are invited.

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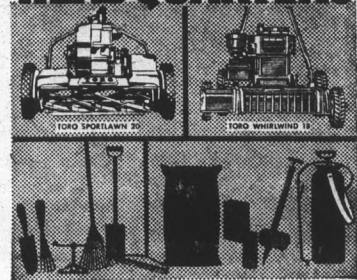
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